

**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES-DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
OFFICE OF CLINICAL INFORMATICS**

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

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MENTAL HEALTH EMPLOYEES ONLY**

Clinical Psychologist II (CP II)

The Office of Clinical Informatics, within the Office of the Chief Deputy Director, is actively seeking a Clinical Psychologist II to provide assistance in the implementation of the Integrated Behavioral Health Information System (IBHIS) and the administration of the DMH STATS program. The Office of Informatics is responsible for providing leadership and subject matter expertise for projects and activities that bridge LACDMH clinical and business operations with the use of data and information technology (IT).

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:

- Use clinical experience associated with delivering various treatment interventions, typical patterns of client-service system interaction, and service program functional workflows, paired with an understanding of research design, database management and data mining in order to conceptualize, design and implement reliable and valid means of monitoring quality of care, performance, and/or program impact
- Use clinical experience to assist information technology staff in making appropriate decisions regarding the configuration of software solutions (e.g., workflow reminders, prompts) that make sense in the context of a service delivery setting, and make recommendations regarding where clinical policies and procedures might be modified to better leverage efficiencies made possible through new IT solutions
- Develop training materials and provide training to Departmental employees regarding the use of information technology, software applications, data, and evaluation research results to improve the monitoring and delivery of clinical services, including the development of training materials for IT tools and reports that would be readily understood by less technologically and data proficient clinical personnel
- Conduct internal and collaborative DMH evaluation research projects and data mining activity, including the selection of tests, measures and procedures needed for the project design, implementation, analysis and reporting.
- Work collaboratively with other Departmental divisions providing clinical and research-related expertise to assure that clinical policies, procedures and quality-related activities effectively leverage available data, research findings, and technological resources
- Provide on-site support, training and guidance to practitioners and programs implementing IBHIS.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

- Strong analytic skills and experience in designing or facilitating clinical/operational process revisions and/or data collection processes to monitor, evaluate or improve the efficiency of clinical service delivery or operational workflows.

- Experience with and/or strong desire and ability to learn a range of software applications used for planning, workflow design, training and presentation material development, and data collection, management, mining and statistical analysis.
- Strong communication skills and experience preparing and providing training and/or presentations to groups of mental health professionals.
- Ability to function both independently in the field and collaboratively in a team environment with high pace demands.

Interested applicants holding the payroll title of Clinical Psychologist II should submit their resume, letter of interest, last two (2) performance evaluations, and last two (2) years of master time cards **by 5:00 PM on Monday, March 24, 2014** to:

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